

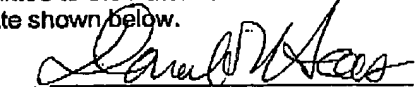
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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

The Examiner is requested to make the following amendments to the claims in order to  
correct a mistake that was made in the papers filed on October 14, 2004 and August 15, 2005.